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1. Response to Restriction Requirement

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEIn re: Application of:
Guenter ButschbacherSerial No. 10/736,733
Filed: 12/16/2003
Title: ADHESION PROMOTER FOR PLASTISOLSConfirmation No. 3569
Examiner: Ana Lucrecia Woodward
Art Unit: 1711CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENTCommissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed 21 March 2006, please enter the following Response in the above-identified application.

Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of Group I, corresponding to Claims 1-10.

Applicants further elect to prosecute the following combination of species corresponding to the different compositional elements recited in Claim 1:

"Pulverulent Organic Polymer": species elected = polyvinyl chloride.

"Plasticizer": species elected = C₄ to C₁₆ alkyl phthalates.

"Pulverulent Saccharide": species elected = sucrose.

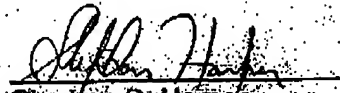
"Reactive Additive": species elected = epoxy resin.

Claims 1-10 encompass the elected species.

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Respectfully submitted,


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